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Applicant : RALF SIGLING  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

German utility model Nr. G 86 19 685.5, dated October 16, 1986, flue gas canal;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 43 09 460 A1 (Dolata), dated September 29, 1994, multiproject gas purification method for reduction of nitric oxides;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 44 35 103 A1 (Hüttenhofer et al.), dated April 4, 1996, method and layout to improve the effectiveness of SCR-DeNOx-units;

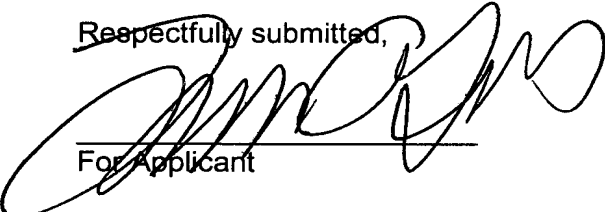
German Patent Application DE 197 04 608 C1 (Eckardt et al.), dated June 10, 1998, device for recombination of hydrogen in a gas mixture;

Patent Abstracts of Japan 10 151 324 (Ko), dated June 9, 1998;

International Search Report, dated June 29, 1999;

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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